# **Wisconsin Emergency Operations Center**

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#### Weather

With the exception of some thunderstorms in Walworth and Kenosha Counties, most the southern Wisconsin avoided additional rainfall on Sunday. The National Weather Service says another round of rain and possible storms is expected Tuesday starting in northwest Wisconsin, moving into the southern part of the state Wednesday into Thursday morning. Flood warnings remain in effect for the Baraboo, Rock, Pecatonica, Sugar, Turtle Creek, Kickapoo, Trempealeau and Fox Rivers.

## State of Emergency

Governor Walker declared a State of Emergency for 17 Wisconsin counties due to flooding. The counties in the declaration are Buffalo, Crawford, Dane, Grant, Green, Iowa, Jackson, Juneau, La Crosse, Lafayette, Monroe, Pepin, Richland, Rock, Sauk, Trempealeau and Vernon Counties.

#### **Governor Visits Cassville**

Today, Governor Walker and Major General Dunbar toured the flood damage in the Grant County Village of Cassville. At least five homes were destroyed, 10 suffered major damage, and others were affected by the flooding Friday night into Saturday morning. That flooding was triggered by up to 10 inches of rain which fell in a matter of hours. The Governor also met with and thanks the first responders at the Cassville Fire Station, crediting their hard work with saving lives.

# **Emergency Shelters**

All emergency shelters are closed with the exception of the Cassville High School in Cassville. Two families stayed at the shelter last night and will again tonight.

#### **Southwest Wisconsin Flood Update**

#### **Crawford County**

Crawford County - Both directions of WIS 171 at Old Gays Rd are closed due to flooding. Both directions of WIS 131 at Pine St are also closed. All eastbound and westbound lanes on WIS 179 at County E are closed due to flooding.

#### **Grant County**

All Emergency Operation Centers in Grant County are now closed. Damage assessments will continue this week. Both directions between County Y and County U because of damage to the roadway caused by flooding.

#### **Monroe County**

Residential damage assessments are underway and will continue next week.

## **Richland County**

WIS 131 is closed north of Viola at the Kickapoo River because of flooding.

## **Sauk County**

The Baraboo River is at 21.53 causing WIS 136 to be closed between Reedsburg and WIS 33 south to Rock Springs at WIS 154.

Below are the latest damage assessments submitted by county emergency management for July 19-20, 2017 storms.

DAMAGE TO HOMES						
County	Affected	Minor	Major	Destroyed		
Jackson County	0	1	0	0		
LaCrosse County	60	0	0	0		
Monroe County	56	0	0	0		
Richland County	10	4	0	0		
Trempealeau County	55	30	5	0		
TOTAL	181	35	5	0		

# **Business Damage**

La Crosse County had 10 businesses with minor damage Monroe County had 2 businesses with minor damage

Trempealeau County had 4 businesses with major and 6 businesses with minor damage

## Public Infrastructure Damage - \$2,999,600

Jackson - \$18,000 La Crosse County - \$1,055,000 Monroe County - \$1,418,500 Pepin County - \$20,000 Richland County- \$188,000 Trempealeau County - \$300,000

# **Southeast Wisconsin Flood Update**

## Southeast Wisconsin Storms from July 11-12, 2017 - Updated Damage Assessments

DAMAGE TO HOMES					
County	Affected	Minor	Major	Destroyed	
Kenosha County	1300	232	14	0	
Polk County	15	3	2	1	
Racine County	2,337	231	60	1	
Walworth County	175	100	5	2	
TOTAL	3,827	563	81	4	

#### **Business Damage**

Kenosha County reports 4 businesses with major damage Polk County had 1 business with major damage Racine County had 16 businesses with minor damage and 6 businesses with major damage Walworth County had 10 businesses with minor damage

Damage to Public Infrastructure (Roads, Bridges, Dams, etc.) – Total \$8,449,689 Million
Chippewa County - \$5,000
Jackson County - \$18,000
Kenosha County - \$1,707,010 million
Polk County - \$42,000
Racine County - \$3,930,679 million
Walworth County - \$2,747,000 million

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